

HOUSE No. 916

By Mr. Mariano of Quincy, petition of Ronald Mariano for legislation to increase the penalty for persons escaping from correctional facilities. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR PERSONS ESCAPING FROM CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 83C of Chapter 127 of the General Laws, as appearing
- 2 in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking from
- 3 lines 5 and 6 the word “more” and inserting in place thereof the
- 4 word:— “less.”